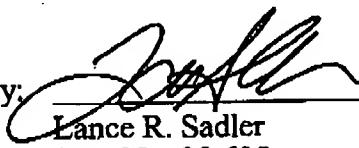


REMARKS

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2 This responds to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment Dated October
3 28, 2004. Applicant has revised the status identifier for Claim 16 as indicated in the
4 Notice.
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6 Respectfully Submitted,
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